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COTTON MARKET

(Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Cotton futures opened steady. October 24.30; December 24.00; January 24.00; March 24.30; May 24.40.

WEATHER

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—Fair tonight. Thursday fair and warmer.

CHINESE ARMIES ARE ENGAGED IN CONFLICT

FAIR JUDGING WILL BE TAUGHT HERE AT TWO DAYS' SCHOOL

Arrangements Finished For Demonstration At C. C. Rooms

MISS CURETON PLANS THE WORK

Sessions Will Be Held On September 5 and 6

All arrangements have been completed for the fair judging school to be held at the Albany-Decatur chamber of commerce building Friday and Saturday, September 5th and 6th.

Miss Mae I. Cureton, district agent of home demonstration work, spent Tuesday here and in Hartselle perfecting plans for the school.

The home demonstration agent and two representatives from each county in this district that is fortunate enough to enjoy this work will meet at the chamber of commerce with Miss Josephine Eddy, clothing specialist, and Mrs. Jacobs, food specialist from the extension service of Auburn, on Friday.

The representatives will be trained and made capable of judging at the county fairs.

Although Morgan does not support this very important feature of woman's work, County Agent Ford announces that two representatives from the county will attend the school in the hope that in the near future home demonstration work will be added.

The visiting agents will bring all necessary equipment for the school. In all probability, sewing done by the girls' clubs in other counties will be used for practice in judging. It is the plan of the clothing specialist to encourage farm women to see the beauty in plain sewing such as men's shirts, house dresses, underwear, and in exhibiting these nicely made garments at the fairs instead of so much so-called 'fancy work'.

The food specialist will have samples of baked food, biscuit, bread, cakes and pies, and of canned food, fruits, vegetables, jelly, pickle and soup mixtures.

It is hoped that some representative men and women of the town will go to the chamber of commerce on Friday to meet the visitors and encourage them in this important work.

COOLIDGE PLANNING SEVERAL ADDRESSES

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—President Coolidge plans to make occasional speeches during his campaign as various situations arise, but after a conference yesterday with William M. Butler, chairman of the republican national committee, it was said the executive had no detailed campaign plans.

Mr. Butler reported the political outlook as encouraging and told Mr. Coolidge the committee desired him to proceed in the campaign "as you have been and as you see fit."

Expanding further the suggestion in his speech of yesterday, relative to possible changes in the railroad labor board, the president told his advisers yesterday that he expected railroad labor and management to work out a plan for modification of the president board.

He reiterated the belief that the board represented an advanced step and had done considerable good and expressed the opinion that any difficulties in its operation would have been cleared up through legislation, except for the row in the senate last session over the chairmanship of the interstate commerce committee, resulting in the election of a democrat, Senator Smith of South Carolina, as chairman.

EARNEST MILLER IS ARRESTED TODAY AS WORLEY ASSAILANT

Alabama Power Co. Employee Shot Last Night

SUSPECT TAKEN BY THE POLICE

Worley Now Resting Fairly Well At Hospital

Lee Worley, meter reader and valued employee of the Alabama Power company is at the Benevolent hospital suffering from two pistol shot wounds that may prove fatal, physicians state. Mr. Worley was shot last evening once in the head and once in the back. The pistol ball that entered the back is said to have passed through one of the lungs. The shooting occurred on Cherry street, near Bank.

Ernest Miller, said to have been identified by Lee Worley as the man who wounded him Tuesday evening in the Morgan County jail, and will be formally charged with assault with intent to murder, stated district Solicitor D. C. Almon.

Decatur police arrested Miller Tuesday morning in his room on Lafayette street and he was at once taken to the Benevolent hospital where Worley is said to have identified him as his assailant.

Chief Riggsby of the Decatur police stated that Tuesday night Miller registered and asked that on Wednesday morning his breakfast be sent to him as he did not propose to arise until late.

Officers had no trouble in arresting him. He is known to officials throughout the Tennessee Valley.

He is said recently to have been released from the federal prison at Atlanta, where he had served a term of years for robbing the post office at Wheeler station.

Chief Riggsby stated that a pistol resembling a Colts was found in the room of Miller, that two of the shells were empty and that a third shell had been snapped upon. The weapon is being held by officers.

Reports are to the effect that the two men were together part of the evening Tuesday. Mr. Worley has charge of testing and repairing meters for the Alabama Power company, it was learned at the local offices of that company.

The wounded man has his home here, and has a wife and one child. His headquarters are at Huntsville. He is an old employee of the power company officials stated.

The Wounded Man Talks
Seen lying upon his couch in one of the south rooms on the second floor of the Benevolent hospital, Worley stated that physicians held out hope for his recovery, but that they declared he would never again have the use of his lower limbs.

The wounded man declared that his assailant 'had been drinking' at the time the shots were fired. He said he did not know his assailant by name but that he could identify him. Mr. Worley stated he was resting well this morning.

Seen in his cell at the Morgan County jail, Miller was asked if he had any statement, to which he replied, "no." Asked if he were innocent of the crime charged to him he said: "Certainly, I don't know nothing about it."

Missing Alabamian Is Reported Seen

(Associated Press)
BINGHAMPTON, N. Y., Sept. 3.—Detectives have begun an investigation of reports received here that Dr. Marshall J. Thompson, 39 years old of Mobile, Ala., who was believed to have drowned in Silver Lake, near here, had been seen in California.

Dr. Thompson's cap and his overturned canoe were found on the lake last July, but the body was never recovered, although the police searched for several days.

Young Army General Makes War Plans.



BRIG. GEN. HUGH A. DRUM

Brigadier-General Hugh A. Drum, U. S. A., is in command of the Plans and Training Division of the General Staff. He is the second youngest general in the Army, being four months older than Brigadier-General Douglas MacArthur. General Drum is the son of Captain Drum, of the Tenth Infantry, first commissioned officer killed at Santiago, and was given his father's sword and a lieutenant's commission by President McKinley when he was only 19.

ALABAMA'S CROPS STILL NEED RAIN

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—Crop and weather condition in Southern states during the week ending yesterday were summarized by the department of agriculture as follows:

The week was moderately warm in the cotton belt and beneficial local showers occurred in many sections, but most localities are still dry and general rain is needed.

"Condition in Alabama: Unseasonably hot and mostly dry but beneficial rains locally in South. Droughty conditions damaging all crops. Condition of corn mostly poor to fair. Failure locally. Sweet potatoes, pastures, truck and minor crops poor, except where revived by rain. Cotton deteriorated or made only fair progress. Condition mostly poor to fair. Opening rapidly and prematurely. Considerable shedding, picking progressing rapidly in south. Weevil damage considerable locally in south."

FAMOUS RACER IS KILLED ON TRACK

(Associated Press)
BROOKLANDS, England, Sept. 3.—Dario Resta, famous automobile racing driver, was killed today while attempting to establish a new world's record. He was killed instantly when his racer planged through the iron fence bordering the race track here.

His mechanic, Perkins, escaped with minor injuries. The wreckage caught fire and the car was destroyed. Resta only recently arrived from America.

CITIZENS SHOT

(Associated Press)
WHITE ROCK, S. D., Sept. 3.—Three residents of this town were wounded, one seriously, when they interrupted five bandits robbing the Citizens State bank here early yesterday.

KIWANIS TO MEET

The Kiwanis club will hold its regular weekly meeting at the Y. M. C. A. at noon Thursday.

TEXAS PLATFORM IS ADOPTED WITH SLIGHT CHANGES

Ferguson Friends Are Still in Control of the Convention

DOZEN PLANKS IN PLATFORM

"Treasure" Eliminated In Reference To Secret Order

(Associated Press)
CAPITOL AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 3.—The platform drawn by former Governor James E. Ferguson was adopted by the platform committee of the democratic convention here today with slight changes by a rising vote which was unanimous.

The platform as submitted to the platform committee yesterday denounced the Ku Klux Klan by name and demanded lower taxes and more economy in state government. The platform committee eliminated the word 'treasure' as applied to the activities of the Ku Klux Klan, gave a stronger endorsement to the administration of Governor Neff than was contained for expedition of court procedure.

It demands publication of memberships of secret organizations and another against wearing masks.

The platform contains a dozen planks. The plank on the Klan reads as follows:

"The democratic party emphatically condemns and denounces what is known as the invisible empire of the Ku Klux Klan as an un-democratic, un-Christian and un-American organization. We brand its activities in politics and elsewhere as against the fundamental principles upon which the government was founded.

"We call upon all these who have joined this dangerous order, through mistake, as to its real purpose, to withdraw from the same and lend their aid and influence to free the country from the strife and trouble which this insidious clique has aroused among the people.

"We demand the passage of law requiring the public registration of membership of all secret organizations and likewise a law against wearing masks and disguises in public or private places."

Meininger Back From Eastern Trip

William J. Meininger, executive secretary of the Albany-Decatur chamber of commerce, has returned to his office after several weeks spent in New York, Philadelphia, Montreal, Canada and other large centers in connection with work undertaken by the chamber of commerce. Mr. Meininger has promised to make a formal statement to the directors of the chamber and to the people generally within a short time.

Prince of Wales Stays Out Again

(Associated Press)
SYOSSET, N. Y., Sept. 3.—The Prince of Wales spent another night out last night. He arose at noon today at the James A. Burden place, his holiday home, after less than seven hours repose, for he did not get in until a few minutes after five o'clock this morning.

The Prince spent the night at the homes of friends near the Burden estate, beginning with a dinner party at the Henry Rogers Winthrop house and ending with a late supper at the home of Vincent Astor, a few miles further on.

It was the second time in as many days that the royal visitor had taken to his bed after the sun's arrival. It was only yesterday that he returned to the Burden home after sunrise

DEMONSTRATION OF CIVIC CENTER WORK LARGELY ATTENDED

Closing Exercises At Center Mark End Of First Month

CHAIRS NEEDED BY ORGANIZATION

Methodist Women Had Charge of School Initial Period

As the closing exercise for their month's teaching and work at the Twin City Community center on East Grant street, the Methodist Women of Albany and Decatur, had "Demonstration Day" at the community hall Tuesday afternoon.

About 60 children and many of their parents were in attendance. The exercises of the afternoon consisted in devotional services, displays of needle work done by the children and other accomplishments of the little folks, who have been drawn into the community center.

For the month of September the Baptist Women of both Albany and Decatur will have charge of the center.

Captain Kearns, of the local Salvation Army, is assisting the church workers. Attention was called to the need of chairs and furniture for the center. The chairs now used are borrowed, stated Mrs. J. T. Jones, one of the leaders of the women for the month of August.

Mrs. W. H. Winton, Miss Ellen Groendyke, Mrs. D. D. McGehee and Miss Zana Lovin and a number of others have been active in the work for the month of August.

Committee of Baptist Women

The following joint committee from the four Baptist churches of the Twin Cities will have charge of the community center for the month of September: Decatur Baptist church, Mrs. W. J. Garnett; Central Baptist church, Mrs. W. H. Simpson; Southside Baptist church, Mrs. Burnes; East Albany Baptist church, Mrs. J. D. McGar.

At the demonstration day exercises yesterday, Mrs. J. T. Jones presided. Miss Ellen Groendyke led the opening prayer, and a number of hymns were sung, as led by Miss Zana Lovin. The demonstration of the work as done by the children was in charge of Mrs. W. H. Winton.

NEGRO IS HELD

Virgil Preuit, a negro who several weeks ago was sought by the police for robbing the Harlow store on Market street, is in the county jail here having been picked up by policemen in Sheffield for officers of Morgan County. Preuit is said to have taken \$41.00 from the store one evening, and that soon after daylight he robbed the cash drawer. Officials state he will be charged with burglary.

Rev. Davison Back From Vacation

Rev. C. C. Davison, beloved pastor of the Decatur Baptist church, has returned from his vacation of one month and will meet the members of his congregation at prayer services this evening.

AMERICAN MILITARY AND NAVAL FORCES TAKE UP POSITIONS

Trains Machine Guns the K. K. K.



BRIG. GEN. G. V. MOSELEY

Brigadier-General George Van Horn Moseley, U. S. A., in command at Camp Custer, Mich., has notified Ku Klux Klansmen that he has laid machine gun fire on a hill on the reservation, and that if the masked Knights attempt to hold another rally on Government property while National Guardsmen are encamped there, he will take them under his fire. Under his orders 35 Klansmen were arrested. General Moseley served on General Pershing's staff in the World War and is considered one of the most brilliant young officers in the Army.

AVIATORS LEAVE FOR NOVA SCOTIA

(Associated Press)
HAWKS BAY, Newfoundland, Sept. 3.—The American army airplanes, on their world flight, left here for Pictou, Nova Scotia, at 12:40 p. m. Newfoundland daylight savings time.

It was raining and a southwest wind was blowing 30 miles and hour when the fliers hopped off.

The clouds were less than 1,000 feet from the surface and the machines kept at a low altitude, flying just over the tips of the waves.

Weather reports from off the coast of Cape Breton, along which the route of the fliers lay, were that while there was considerable fog off shore and it had been raining all the morning, the sun was breaking through the clouds and the indications were for ideal flying weather.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS TO HOLD MEETING

Hermione Lodge No. 16, Knights of Pythias, held their regular meeting Monday evening at their Bank Street Castle hall with a large number present.

After transacting routine business, plans were discussed for attending the semi-annual convention of the First Pythian district which will be held in Tusculum, September 11th.

All present expressed their desire to attend this convention and upon being asked by A. L. Shelton, Chancellor Commander to assist in encouraging others to attend, very readily pledged their support and assured him that nothing would be left undone in the preparations for this convention which promises to be the biggest ever held in this district, and every effort possible will be put forth to gain for Hermione the distinction of having the largest delegation present.

Foreign War Craft Protect Harbor From Assault

MANY TROOPS ARE ENGAGED

Northern Soldiers Said to Have Fired Opening Shots

(Associated Press)
SHANGHAI, Sept. 3.—With fighting at Hwangtu, near here, in progress at four o'clock this afternoon, between the contending armies of two rival provincial Chinese governors, reports received here indicated the battle lines were extending toward the coast in the direction of Woosung.

Although a large number of troops are engaged in the conflict, reports received here from Chekiang say that no material advantage has been gained by either side. It is said that the engagement today is preliminary to a major battle at Nansiang tomorrow 12 miles from Shanghai.

According to information given out from Lungwha military headquarters the first shots were fired at Hwangtu by the northern troops, after Chi shieh Yuan had moved large reinforcements to Hwangtu.

A report, the Dahtong, a Chinese news agency from Hong Kong, says that Dr. Sun Yat Sen, rival of Chang Tso Lin, military dictator of Manchuria, is planning a northern expedition with his Hunan and Kuangtu troops.

Reports from Mukden province to the same news agency say that two Manchurian armies are moving toward the great wall from two directions. The fighting is occurring at Hwangtu, 15 miles west of this city on the Shanghai-Nanking railway.

Lu Yung Hsiang ruler of the contested section of Kiangsu province is defending his territory against the aggressive forces of Chi Shieh Yuan, ruler of the uncontested section of the province.

Before train service was declared suspended yesterday on the Shanghai-Nanking railway, more than 100,000 refugees poured into Shanghai, the objective city in the conflict from the Chinese military viewpoint and today, under the protection of foreign governments, they awaited the outcome of civil warfare.

A messenger who reached Shanghai today from Quinsan told of hearing sporadic firing in the vicinity of Quinsan, the point where the rival forces were scheduled to meet along the line of the Shanghai-Nanking railway.

More than 20 foreign warcrafts were assembled in the harbor at Shanghai, awaiting any action on the part of the rival military governors, which would place Shanghai in the line of fire and the lives of foreigners in jeopardy.

On land the Shanghai volunteer corps and the Shanghai defense unit, which includes British and American military units were prepared to take up defensive fighting positions on the boundaries of the foreign quarter. Besides the forces of 100,000 on both sides, the so-called independent Chinese, enlisted in the service of General Lu Yung Hsiang, were reported anchored in the Whangpoo river, opposite the Ciangnan arsenal, which is one of the objectives of the forces of Chi Shieh Yuan.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—The hostilities between the forces of military Governor Ch' and defense Commissioner Ho at Hwangtu near Shanghai, began at 10 o'clock this morning, the state department was advised today by Consul General Cunningham. Mr. Cunningham also reported that the American naval forces were prepared to land forces, along with Japanese, French, Italian and British.

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Classified Ads and Business Directory

MY BUSINESS—Real estate sales, rentals, collections, loans, fire insurance, write deeds, mortgages and any kind of contract. J. A. Thornhill 209 Johnston street.

GO to the Twin City Delicatessen, 227 Grant street. For home cooked meats, salads, bakery goods, fresh fruit, etc. 2-3t.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Ten yoke of good work cattle for sale. All young and well broken for work. Apply to Pearl F. Eastace, Holly Tree, Ala. 2-6t.

FOR SALE—One 15 h. p. Westinghouse motor in good condition. Can be seen at Motor Sales Co. or call 723-J Albany. 2-6t.

FOR SALE—18 acres of land 2 miles out Danville pike at \$140 an acre, also 10 acres with good home and buildings at only \$2,850. Both bargains. See J. A. Thornhill.

FOR SALE—One Conn saxophone and case in A-1 condition; reasonable price. Address "W," care Daily. 28-1f.

FOR SALE—Seven-passenger Chandler car; will exchange for real estate, live stock or cash. J. L. Echols. 28-1f.

FOR SALE—One kiddie coop, 1 frosted baby buggy with navy corduroy upholstery and baby yard and cradle. Owner leaving town. Can be had at a good price. Phone Albany 454. 3-3t.

FOR RENT OR TRADE—Good 6 room house, good condition, near shops. Will rent or will trade for farm. Rent \$22.00 per month. See J. A. Tidwell at shops or Hughes and Tidwell at store. 3-3t.

FOR SALE—6 Brenlin window shades in A-1 condition. Telephone 690-L, 3 rings. 1f.

FOR SALE—Pair of wagon scales, C. E. Malone. 27-1f.

FOR SALE—Windshields any cars by C. E. Malone. 27-1f.

FOR SALE—A good 5 room home on 6th avenue West at \$1,900. \$800 cash, balance \$25 per month with 3 per cent interest. Rents now for \$20. J. A. Thornhill, 209 Johnston street.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—On streets of Albany or Decatur white gold bar pin set with one karat solitaire diamond. \$50 reward. Frank S. Harris. 3-3t.

LOST—White Jersey cow. Dehorned medium sized. Notify or return to 1019 Grant street. Receive liberal reward. H. W. Downing. 30-3t.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—8 room residence at 449 Jackson street. Apply to Mrs. W. H. Simpson, 461 Jackson street. 3-3t.

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms with bath for light housekeeping. Centrally located. 413 Sherman street. Telephone 230-W, Albany. 2-6t.

FOR RENT—To one or two gentlemen. One furnished room, every convenience, centrally located. Call Albany 47. 2-3t.

FOR RENT—Apartment of four connecting rooms. Furnace heated, everything modern. Possession given immediately or on October 1st. Centrally located. Apply to Mrs. Virginia Graham 409 Grant street, Phone 407-W, Albany. 30-3t.

FOR SALE—1 Singer Sewing machine. I large electric fan. I Underwood typewriter. I Remington repeating rifle. All in good condition. Call at 305 Jackson street. 30-3t.

FOR RENT—Three rooms with bath centrally located in Decatur. Call 257 Decatur. 315 Cain street. 30-3t.

FOR RENT—Two large unfurnished rooms at 414 Johnston street. Phone Albany 594. 5-1f.

WANTED

WANTED—Position as stenographer. Experience in all lines of stenographic work. Address "B" care the daily. 30-3t.

MONEY to loan, \$50,000 by the New Morgan County Building and Loan Association, Decatur, Ala. 13-1f.

"MASCOT" (the heat goes all around the oven.) If you want to get the most for your money, buy a Mascot Range during this month, when we offer in addition to unequalled Mascot Satisfaction, a \$1,000 accident policy. Good for one year, free. Carrell Furniture Co. 4-1f.

BUY YOUR WEEKLY PASS early. It's pretty nice, isn't it, not to have to think about paying carfare when you want to go for an evening's pleasure? That's what the weekly pass does for you. Each pass will be good from Monday to Sunday inclusive. They will be on sale on Friday, Saturday and Sunday of each week for use the following week, and the early part of the week in which they are to be used. 3-4t.

WANTED—Concrete jobs large or small. I have a mixer. C. E. Malone 16-1f.

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Announcements

To the voters of Albany:
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Albany, subject to the action of the voters at the September 15 election. If elected, I will enforce the laws without fear or favor, and submit my past record as policeman for your consideration and assure you that your vote and influence will be appreciated.
R. E. (Bob) Stewart

Paid Pol. Advt.
I hereby announce my candidacy for Chief of Police of the City of Albany in the coming election to be held on September 15. Your influence and vote will be appreciated.
Yours Truly,
J. N. Hendrix

Paid Pol. Advt.
Having served faithfully the people of Albany as chief of police during the past two years, I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election in the election, September 15, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence, which I assure you will be deeply appreciated.
J. D. BELL.
(Paid political advertising authorized by J. D. Bell, Albany, Ala.)

Paid Pol. Advt.
I hereby announce my candidacy for mayor of the city of Albany at the election to be held September 15, 1924. Your support and influence will be greatly appreciated.
CARL D. PATTERSON.
(Paid political advertising authorized by Carl D. Patterson, Albany, Ala.)

To the voters of Albany:
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Chief of Police of the city of Albany. Your votes are respectfully solicited and will be appreciated in the election to be held September 15th, 1924.
Yours truly,
James W. Pettey

Paid political advertising authorized by James W. Pettey, Albany, Ala.

To the voters of the city of Albany:
I hereby announce my candidacy for Chief of the City of Albany and earnestly solicit the support of the voters at the polls on Monday the 15th of September.
Yours truly,
J. R. Mullins

Paid political advertising authorized by J. R. Mullins, Albany, Alabama.

We are hereby authorized to announce the candidacy of Dr. F. L. Carswell for mayor of Albany in the municipal election to be held September 15. Your vote and influence is respectfully solicited.
Paid political advertising authorized by James A. Nelson.

How They Stand

Southern League		
Memphis	92	46 .667
Atlanta	89	50 .641
New Orleans	83	57 .593
Nashville	74	63 .540
Mobile	64	75 .460
Chattanooga	56	71 .409
Birmingham	52	85 .380
Little Rock	43	96 .309

American League		
Washington	76	55 .580
New York	74	56 .569
Detroit	69	62 .526
St. Louis	67	63 .515
Cleveland	62	70 .470
Boston	59	71 .454
Philadelphia	58	73 .443
Chicago	57	72 .442

National League		
New York	77	51 .601
Pittsburgh	75	51 .595
Brooklyn	76	54 .585
Chicago	68	59 .539
Cincinnati	69	62 .523
St. Louis	54	76 .415
Philadelphia	49	77 .389
Boston	47	83 .360

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Southern League
Nashville 15-1; Chattanooga 4-3.
Mobile 2; Atlanta 12.
Only two games scheduled.

American League
Boston 14-2; New York 6-5.
Chicago 6-8; Detroit 0-5.
Cleveland 12; St. Louis 4.
Only three games scheduled.

National League
Brooklyn 12-4; Philadelphia 9-3 (first game 10 innings).
Boston 7-2; Pittsburgh 20.
Pittsburgh-Chicago, rain.
Only three games scheduled.

WHERE THEY PLAY
Southern League
Nashville at Chattanooga.
Only one game scheduled.

American League
Cleveland at St. Louis.
Detroit at Chicago.
Boston at New York.
Only three games scheduled.

National League
New York at Boston.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Pittsburgh.
Chicago at Cincinnati.

American Military and Naval Forces Take Up Positions

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naval contingents, to protect foreign settlements if necessary.
The harbor at Shanghai is occupied by the ships of many nations and Dr. Wellington Koo, the Pekin foreign minister, after being told that every means possible would be employed to protect the various nationals, was advised further by the diplomatic agents of the four powers acting together, that a naval battle in these waters 'could not be tolerated.'
Officials here familiar with the situation involving Shanghai have expressed fear that a conflict between the forces of the rival military governors might lead to general warfare in China, despite that the chief bone of contention appears to be control over the office of defense commissioner of Shanghai.

When you are going to Cullman and Hartselle patronize the originator of the bus lines.
Call Albany 626

by F. L. Carswell, Albany, Alabama.

To the voters of the City of Albany, Ala.: Greeting:
I hereby announce that I am a candidate for re-election as Mayor of Albany, Ala. I have tried to do my duty in the office, I would much appreciate the opportunity to further serve the citizenship. I will appreciate the votes of my friends, and I thank you. Give me your best consideration. Very truly yours to serve,
W. A. BRITAIN.
(Paid Political Advt.)

I announce my candidacy for mayor of Decatur and respectfully solicit your vote and influence in the municipal election September 15. Your consideration will be appreciated.
John A. Thomason.
(Paid political advertising authorized by John A. Thomason.)

On my record of service to the people of Decatur, I respectfully announce my candidacy for reelection as mayor and solicit your vote and influence.
James A. Nelson
(Paid political advertising authorized by James A. Nelson.)

Is "Miss Philadelphia" in Beauty Contest.



RUTH MALCOLMSON.

Miss Ruth Malcolmson has been selected as "Miss Philadelphia" to represent the City of Brotherly Love in the annual Atlantic City, N. J., bathing beauty contest.

Somerville New

Mrs. Mary Peck visited relatives and attended services at Blue Springs church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Abbott were guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Abbott.

Coleman Peck of Albany was at Blue Springs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Winton with Miss Blanche and Kate Winton and Enid Mitchell were in Hartselle Sunday visiting.

M. T. Swift of Scottsboro, Ala., is here this week visiting relatives.

Fred M. Swift of Hartselle was here Monday on business.

Miss Eva Winton and C. P. Johnston visited to Cullman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Winton spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Pence at Six Mile.

Mrs. Floyd Johnson left Monday for Albany to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Humphries.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Pence and children returned home Monday from Bessemer, Alabama after a visit to her parents.

Misses Eva and Kate Winton left Tuesday for Birmingham where Miss Kate goes for special examination and treatment for stomach trouble.

Tom Wade and family left Monday for Hartselle where they will make their home.

Miss Eugenia Collet of Texas will arrive Wednesday to visit Misses Berta and Maggie England.

Mrs. P. A. Guyer returned home Sunday from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Silas Brown and family near Danville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Watkins with Mr. and Mrs. McAbee and children of Neal, Ala., were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Rube Watkins at Ruff City for the weekend.

Mrs. Tom Goad and children have returned to their home at Hines, Ala., after a visit to her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Miller and family.

B. W. Willis was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Winton on Tuesday night, leaving Wednesday for Hartselle to see his niece, Mrs. Otto McCar-

ley before returning to his home in Lawrenceburg, Tenn.

Howard Francis of Hartselle spent Tuesday night with his uncle, Rev. James Francis.

Misses Fannie and Lera Teague left Friday night for Hartselle after a weeks visit to Miss Mary Francis.

Mrs. Lula Wade and son, James moved to Albany this week where her son will resume his studies in the high school.

Miss Stewart, a representative of the Moody Bible Institute has been here this week in the interest of her work.

Rev. Carwell and son, Robert left Friday night for their home in Elkhart, after the close of the revival here at the M. E. church.

Mrs. Ambus Winton after a long illness, died Tuesday night. She was laid to rest Wednesday in the Houston burying plot near her home.

Prof. J. G. Martin and wife of Vine-mont were visitors at Mrs. Joe Winton's on Thursday. Prof. Martin has been elected principal of the school here for this term, with Misses Alice Oden and Etoile Gilchrist as assistants, school will open on September Eighth.

The Klansmen, 31 in number came to the church here Friday night during the revival leaving a nice sum of money which was voted to Robert Carwell, the blind son of Rev. Carwell to assist him in his school work.

Rev. James Francis, Rev. Carwell and son, Robert will begin a series of meetings at Oak Forest on Sunday.

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A DAILY PRAYER.—May we realize that Thou art the Way that is straight, the Light that is unfading and the Love, that is unchanging.

Will Main street or Wall street win November 4, that's the question.

The wrongs of his clients did not render Darrow, their defender, speechless, to say the least.

A French statesman recently exclaimed: "The Turkish Republic is the Daughter of France." For shame, Mrs. France.

Helenmaria, the new name coined by Charles G. Dawes, will doubtless be sought by many a flapper.

Speaking about investigations, suppose for a moment women statesmen should conduct one, where would the unrighteous appear.

The strength of J. W. Davis, will be given a severe test when his managers ask for campaign cash.

Further indication that the community picnic here on September 11 will be a great success was seen in the announcement that Edward A. O'Neal and Lister Hill will be among the speakers. Both are outstanding Alabamians and their messages will be heard with more than ordinary interest in North Alabama.

Mr. O'Neal, one of our own Valley citizens, is president of the Alabama Farm Bureau. Mr. Hill is congressman from the Fifth district and is a warm supporter of the Ford bid for Muscle Shoals. The Twin Cities will accord them both a cordial welcome.

A September 1 dispatch from Florence says: "The superstructure of Wilson Dam is completed. The last bucket of concrete was poured into the dam proper just before noon Saturday."

Excepting for the detail work of connecting the river water with the mighty turbines, the Tennessee river has been harnessed. Nothing so significant has occurred in this section of the south since the close of the civil war. The power developments on the Tennessee are but an earnest or pledge of what the south may reasonably expect throughout its length and breadth.

It is a true and generous impulse that prompts people to "praise the bridge that carries them over." To whom shall words of praise be given in connection with the building of Wilson Dam?

Leaving out of account for the moment, those early believers in the potentiality in Muscle Shoals and the members of the Congress who have worked in season and out of season for the development of the Shoals, one of the first and foremost men deserving high praise now that Wilson Dam is up, is Woodrow Wilson himself, who as America's great war president gave ear to the men who saw him at Washington, when decision was about to be made for the location of a war nitrate plant, and decided that the federal government should come south and build its war plant where a really great power was available.

It will be recalled that all went well at the dam, so far as the completion was concerned until the World War ended and enemies of the great project sat in the councils of the nation.

When it was common talk that dynamite was to be applied to the unfinished dam, and the waters of the Tennessee released—perhaps for all time—to flow on as they have since time began—

a southern man—not known as a politician—in the person of J. W. Worthington, caught a north-bound train for Detroit and after a few hours' conference, Henry Ford told Mr. Worthington that he would redeem the Shoals project.

To Henry Ford goes the honor of becoming the savior of Muscle Shoals, but Worthington the prophet and spokesman for the great project gets equal honor with Henry Ford, in the minds and hearts of the people, now that his "iridescent dream" has become a reality.

Yes, let Worthington have all honor. Our representatives in Congress have honor also, but they were merely the hired men of the people so to speak. Worthington took the initiative when dynamite seemed to be the portion coming to the unfinished Wilson Dam, and prophesied such great things concerning the potentiality of Muscle Shoals to Henry Ford that the great Detroitier sat up and took notice. As for those who have tried to defeat Worthington's dream, or looked at it from afar—let the mantle of charity cover them.

The speech of Clarence Darrow in seeking to cheat the gallows of the lives of Leopold and Loeb, at least that part of it which refers to human responsibility, will not be accepted by those who teach and believe that "man is the architect of his own fortune."

One excerpt from the Darrow speech relative to human will power is as follows:

To start with: it seems to me to be clear that there is really no such thing as crime, as the word is generally understood. Every activity of man should come under the head of behavior. In studying crime we are merely investigating a certain kind of human behavior. Man acts in response to outside stimuli. How he acts depends on the nature, strength, and inherent character of the machine and the habits, customs, inhibitions, and experiences that environment gives him. Man is in no sense the maker of himself and has no more power than any other machine to escape the law of cause and effect. He does as he must. Therefore, there is no such thing as moral responsibility in the sense in which this expression is ordinarily used. Punishment is something inflicted for the purpose of giving pain is cruelty and vengeance and nothing else. Whatever should be done to the criminal, if we have humanity and imagination, we must feel sympathy for him and consider his best good along with that of all the rest of the members of the society whose welfare is our concern.

Those who believe not in capital punishment, claim that Darrow's argument against the common law that provides death as the penalty for murder is unanswerable. It is safe to say that if Judge Caverly has any doubts as to the justice of capital punishment, he has had those doubts aroused and strengthened by the speech of Darrow. From many sources comes the information that the trial of Loeb and Leopold has developed into a tilt between those who are opposed to the death penalty, and those who believe that those who take the lives of others shall in turn relinquish their lives in case they are proved guilty of first degree murder.

The editor of a country newspaper in Tennessee recently had a son beaten for congress and this is what he says about the people who did the voting:

"The people, God bless them (they need it; we all need it—the blessing), are a funny ensemble. They are all right; too much so—food for the demagogue, hypocrite, charlatan. They are short-changed oftener than the countryman at a side show. The biggest liar has the largest following. We believe in 'em—the people—but if we wanted anything out of them we'd take it to 'em and shake their eyeteeth out of they didn't give it."

"If people were wise we wouldn't have had the world war. If they were wise, we would not have any penitentiaries or jails. If they were wise, they would secure their immortal souls to a home where there is neither sorrow nor death. They have never been wise; they will never be until the millennium. They get what they deserve; the fruit designates the tree. They kill each other one day in Chicago. Women get the men; and men the women—choke, shoot, poison. The juries are exponents of justice. They translate our convictions into action."

"The women fill the murderers' cells with flowers; endocrinal glands excuse and the sob Sisters glorify."

Outside of these few minor shortcomings we suppose the Tennessee editor will admit that the country is doing fairly well.—Gadsden Times-News.

DAVIS CORDIALLY WELCOMED TO CHI

(Associated Press) CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—John W. Davis, democratic presidential nominee, arrived here Tuesday for a stop of three days. The time will be devoted to conferences with democratic leaders of Illinois and Indiana.

Prominent leaders of his party in Chicago met Mr. Davis, his advisers and a dozen newspaper men. One of his first acts was to have his picture taken grasping the hands of the engineer and fireman who piloted his train into the terminal.

He was escorted to a waiting caravan of motor cars which, led by a band that devoted itself almost exclusively to playing southern airs, started a slow parade over downtown boulevards to the hotel which will serve as temporary headquarters.

Mr. Davis found the lanes of the route his party took crowded with early Chicagoans, hastening to work. Occasionally a group from the sidewalk would give him a call, to which Mr. Davis doffed his hat and smiled.

He received a snappy salute from each traffic officer as his car passed.

Beyond the trip to Denver and the return journey through Missouri, the itinerary for the western campaign still is undetermined.

TURKS AGITATE SALE OF CALIPH'S TREASURES

CONSTANTINOPLE—The question of what is to be done with the treasures of the caliph, occupying front page space in all Turkish newspapers. These treasures contain some of the most valuable works of art in the world.

One group of papers demands that the treasure be sold at international auction so that the money may become available for much needed purposes of reconstructing the country and for relieving distress among the abjectly poor.

Until 1916 the treasure was kept in

the Palace of Top-Kapu. After the present regime succeeded to power it was brought to the mosque of Achmed Pasha at Angora. The treasure includes the gems and works of art collected by the sultans and caliphs through centuries. There are necklaces of walnut sized diamonds, medallions of rubies and topaz, chains of pearls of priceless value, diadems and crowns of precious stones, goblets and cups of gold and silver, swords and scimitars and pistols set with jewels, and the famous saddles of the sultans and princes, which are studded with diamonds and other precious stones.

RADIO DETECTS INSECTS

JOHANNESBURG—Thanks to the radio, fruit growers will hereafter be able to determine through the sense of hearing whether apples and other fruits are wormy. Dr. C. K. Brain, professor of entomology at Stellenbosch University, has conducted a series of experiments along this line as a result of which he has drawn the conclusion that worms and bugs can be detected with certainty by radio.

Dr. Brain's method was simply that of attaching to an ordinary wireless telephone an unusually strong microphone. He took parts of twigs of an apple tree known to be infected with the larve of the apple worm, and placed them in a box connected with the microphone. Through the receiver he could distinctly hear the movements of the larvae, as well as the nibbling of the insects at the leaves. Likewise he placed a wormy apple in the box, and the microphone registered the noise made by the worms as he nibbled away at the apple.

A third experiment consisted in detecting the presence of the weevil in corn.

HARP SINGING

There will be an old sacred Harp North Alabama singing convention at the court house in Decatur, Ala., on the first Saturday and Sunday in September. The public is cordially invited plenty to eat for everybody. J. F. Ricks, secretary. Sept. 3-4-5.



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women and boys with great baskets. The oil is intended for airplane motors and is said to be particularly adaptable for winter flying because it does not congeal in low temperatures. Good, fat locusts retailed at about one-fourth of a cent a pound. After the insects passed through the oil extraction process the refuse was used as fertilizer.

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FAMILY REUNION.

All the children and grand children of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Neill gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McCullough on Tenth avenue west and enjoyed a family reunion on Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Holland and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Price and family, Mrs. Fanny Holland and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Young and daughter, Mrs. J. F. Holland and Mrs. S. J. Price of the Twin Cities and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Johnson of Hartselle, brother and sister of Mrs. Neill, and Miss Virginia Johnson of Hartselle.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

On Monday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock, Mrs. Leonard McCullough entertained in honor of her son, Neill, who was celebrating his tenth birthday anniversary.

A delightful afternoon was spent and those enjoying the occasion were Misses Mamie Height, Frances Simrell and Nannie and Edna Holland, Masters Paul and Billy Simrell, Curtis and Douglas Key, Virgil James, John Thomas Wallace, Jack Price, Emmett Gustin and the guest of honor.

Mrs. Johnny Wallace and Mrs. Casey Holland assisted the hostess in serving an ice course after the contest in which Paul Simrell was the lucky contestant.

Miss Clutie Bloodworth, who spent the past year in primary work at the Cullowhee Normal at Cullowhee, N. C., is now in Montgomery, Ala., where she has accepted a position as Supervisor of Superior Education in Alabama.

Mrs. Herman Jernigan of Troy, Ala., who is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Y. Hamit had her tonsils removed last week and is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Wyker who have been absent from the cities for the past three months while touring England and points of interest on the continent are expected home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Dobbs and Maurice Jr., will leave October 1st for Atlanta, Ga., where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Wright will move soon on Line street in the Todd home.

Mrs. Edward Park and daughter, Dorothy Ann, will go to Nashville to visit relatives today.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gardner and little son, Glenn, have returned home from Harriman, Tenn., where they have been the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Matheny.

FAMILY REUNION AT HARTSELLE

A reunion of the family of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Jones was held at their home in Hartselle on Sunday when the following members were present: Frank Jones and children of Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jones and baby of Chattanooga, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. Adlai Stephenson of Hartselle, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sparkman and baby of Albany, Miss Jewel Jones, Forrest Prince and Otto Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones of Hartselle.

At noon an elaborate repast was enjoyed and in the afternoon they were joined for the watermelon cutting by Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Speake.

This was an especially pleasing and enjoyable occasion as it was the first time that the entire family had been together for ten years. Several group pictures were taken during the day.

JAPANESE TEA.

A Japanese tea will be given by the girls of the younger set at the home of one of their number, Miss Frances McGwier on Wednesday evening.

Miss Jane Odum of Nashville is visiting Mrs. R. H. Wolfeott.

Misses Christine Dobbs and Ellen Parker and Messrs. M. Petit, and John Eggers motored to Cullman on Monday.

Mrs. Ben Martin was taken to her home this morning from the Benevolent hospital where she spent the past week to treatment and her condition is reported unimproved.

Misses Lena Lane and Vernon Murphy of Basham, were the weekend guests of Mrs. Leonard McCullough.

Miss Bessie Hames has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Guthrie in Birmingham.

Miss Eula Mae English who had her tonsils removed at the Benevolent hospital on Saturday is resting well.

Miss Ruby Simpson who was operated on Saturday at the Benevolent hospital for appendicitis is reported doing nicely.

Miss Eleanor Gremmittee and brothers, of Huntsville are spending the week with their cousins, Misses Edith and Eileen Hollingsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. James Skinner of Chattanooga, after spending a few days with their son, James Alvy Skinner, returned home on Monday.

Miss Louise Collier left Sunday for Washington, D. C., after spending a month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Collier.

Mrs. W. K. McNeill and son, Billy and her mother, Mrs. E. Lyons are expected home this week from a several months visit to her sister, Mrs. Davis in Los Angeles, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander will return home in a few days from a several weeks visit to Atlantic City, N. J., New York city and other eastern points.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grayson have moved to East Walnut street.

Mrs. V. G. Moorehead and son, Tommy are expected home this week from an extended visit to relatives in Owensboro, Ky., and other points in Kentucky.

Miss Ethel Bryant has returned to Huntsville after spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bryant.

Miss Sarah Neill has returned to her home in Birmingham after spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith.

Mrs. Louis A. Neill and daughter, Miss Louise, left Colorado on August twenty-eight and will probably be at home in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Matthews and two sons, Leon and Clarence of Birmingham motored here and spent the weekend with Mrs. W. L. Gover.

Mrs. Ben Price of Birmingham is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Crawford.

Little Miss Frances Bailey was operated on Monday for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Sparkman and baby Julia Ann, of Tuscaloosa are expected today to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sparkman en route home after a visit to Blue Ridge, N. C.

Mrs. Jenkins of Harriman, Tenn., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gardner.

Mrs. Wallace Carson and son, Tommy who have spent the past six weeks with her sister and brother, Mrs. John W. Jones and Mr. Frank Lide, will leave the latter part of the week for their home in Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Winton of Hartselle were Labor Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnson on Grant street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Royer and Maxie Harris motored to Kelson, Tennessee, and spent Sunday and Monday with their uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rowe.

Master Sammie Harris and Little Miss Lodeam Harris have returned from Athens where they spent the last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Powers and daughters, Juanita Ade Sue and Maryle have returned from a visit to relatives at Elkmont, Ala.

Accompanied by Mrs. L. R. Nash, whom she has been visiting here, Mrs. H. C. Choate left for her home in Corinth, Miss. While in Corinth Mrs. Nash will visit her mother.

Miss Ethel Mae Hatchett has returned from a visit to her cousin, Miss Anna Dale Ruch in Huntsville.

Mrs. Raymond Brown is visiting relatives in Somerset, Ky.

Miss Lucille Phinizy who attended summer school at Howard College is at home with her mother, Mrs. Bert Phinizy for a few weeks.

Miss Elizabeth Atkinson of Piedmont, Ala., is visiting Miss Margaret Simrell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. H. Carter, Mrs. E. L. Raney, Mrs. W. M. Moseley, and Mrs. R. L. Hopkins motored to Elkmont Springs, Tenn., on Monday and spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carrol have returned to their home in Kenton, Tenn., after a visit to their aunt, Mrs. J. R. Collier on Gordon Drive.

Miss Alma Hartung is in Florence, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Kenneth Thomas.

Mrs. A. E. Voekel and daughter, Miss Nell Voekel, of Huntsville, motored over to Albany-Decatur Sunday, returning in the evening.

Mrs. A. B. Staten who has been recuperating from a recent automobile accident at the home of her niece Mrs. J. M. Maxwell has sufficiently recovered to return to her home in Florence.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Yarbrough and children are visiting relatives in Nashville.

Misses Fern and Anne Royer are expected home this evening from New York City where they spent the past two weeks buying fall ready-to-wear for their shop.

Miss Grace Garrison is in the Tri-Cities, the guest of her sisters, Mrs. R. D. Sittason and Mrs. P. L. Jones.

The many friends of Mrs. Raymond Duncan will be very happy to know that she is very much improved after her recent illness.

Mrs. A. H. Weaver and sons, Harris Jr., and James Franklin have returned home after a visit with relatives at Wheeler.

Miss Mattie Darnell of Hillsboro is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Weaver on East Grant street.

Misses Hattie Mae and Josephine Murphy of Springfield, Tenn., are the guests of Misses Fanny and Edna Holland.

Mrs. Fanny Holland and son Melvin and Misses Nanny and Edna Holland left today to attend the fair at Winchester, Tenn. They will be there about four days making the trip through the country in their car.

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Decatur	3:12 p. m.	3.00
Belle Mina	3:26 p. m.	2.75

Returning tickets will be honored on all regular trains up to and including Train No. 43 scheduled to leave Chattanooga, Tenn., 3:30 p. m. Monday, September 8th, 1924.

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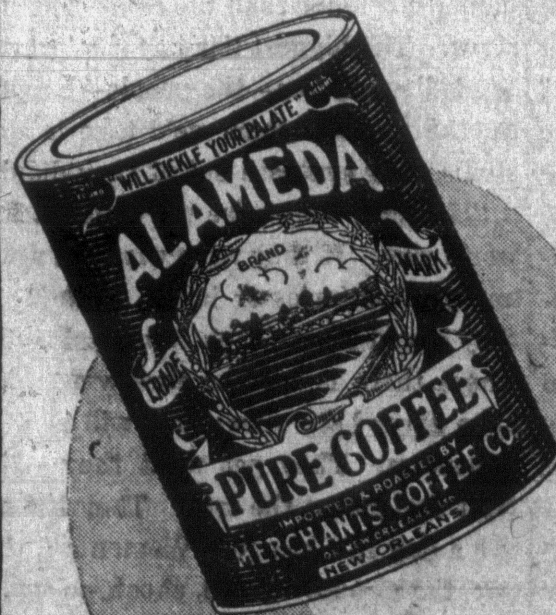


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CHIEF FIGURES IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



**Below: PRINCE BIBESCO & JAMES EADS HOWE
Below: JAMES COUSENS & CARTER GLASS**

Trouble between the State of Maryland and Prince Bibesco, Rumanian Minister to the United States, accused of speeding, has been ended by a letter of regret from the Prince and a promise to speed no more. U. S. Senator Carter Glass, of Virginia, has retired to his country home, near Lynchburg, for two months' rest ordered by his physician. James Eads Howe, of St. Louis, "millionaire hobo," grandson of the builder of the first bridge over the Mississippi at St. Louis, has been married there to his secretary, Miss Ingeborg Sorenson. U. S. Senator James Cousens, backed by La Follette in his race for re-election, and whose Republicanism has been questioned by his enemies because of his association with the La Follette bloc in the Senate, will range of his campaign in the coming election.

FIRPO DEPORTATION CASE NOW PUSHED

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 3—There were indications today that the department of labor, which is in charge of enforcement of the immigration laws was nearing a decision on the charges made by those who are demanding the deportation of Luis Angel Firpo, the Argentine pugilist.

The Rev. William S. Chase, of New York, who has taken the lead in the move to have the big fighter sent back to Argentina conferred again Tuesday with acting Secretary White of the labor department, and was told that progress was being made in the case.

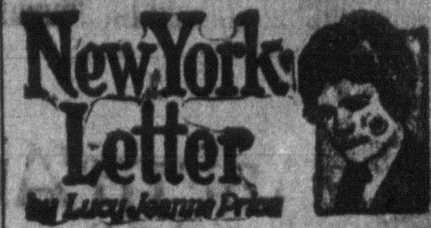
Mr. Chase expects action taken soon and indicated he was confident decision would be in favor of deportation. Investigators for the department have been at work in New York for several days hearing testimony and making all possible inquiries into the charges made by Mr. Chase and his colleagues.

These charges, growing out of Firpo's arrival in New York in the same ship with an Argentine "manicurist" have been denied by the fighter.

Dothan Eagle's Publisher Dies

DOTHAN, Ala., Sept. 2—William T. Hall, publisher of The Dothan Eagle, died today as a result of injuries sustained in an automobile wreck ten days ago. He was prominent in business and politics.

Mr. Hall represented his district in the state senate during the Kilby administration. He gave much time to church and civic affairs and was a Mason of high standing. He is survived by his widow and five children.



"The Easy Mark," a modern comedy with the scenes laid in a New York suburb, will open next week at the Thirty-Ninth Street theater produced by the Kettering Productions, Inc. The author is Ralph Kettering and Mary Newcomb, who was last seen in "The Woman on the Jury," will have the leading role.

People are becoming too learned too laugh. Jokes will be preserved in museums, just as are early writings on stone. So says Dr. C. C. Shaw, professor of philosophy at New York university. Primitive man did not have intelligence enough to laugh, he explains, and man of the near future will have too much. "We laugh at what we do not understand," he says. "Incongruity is funny. There will be no incongruity in the future because nothing will be difficult to understand." It's the first time I've been just as glad to

have lived now instead of later on when the world should be still more wonderful.

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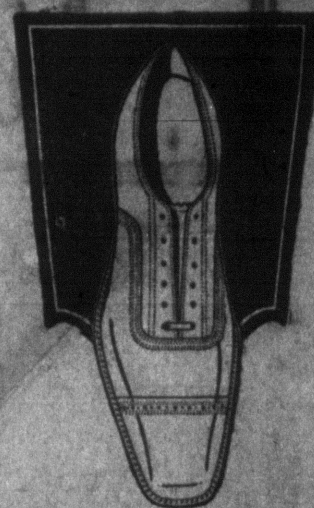
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Fairview News

Mrs. Tams Borden and three friends from Peabody college at Nashville made a short visit to Mrs. J. M. Harmon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. McRee are expected home Wednesday after a short visit to Sheffield.

Miss Lura Mae Puckett of Albany spent Labor Day with Miss A. M. Wright.

Broke Up Housekeeping

"We had to break up housekeeping because of my wife's stomach trouble. No medicine did her any good for more than a few hours. On a visit to Oshkosh a friend praised Mayr's Wonderful Remedy so highly my wife tried it and she has enjoyed the best of health since taking it." It is a simple harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. By druggists everywhere.—Advt.

BRIGHT COLOR CONTRASTED
WITH WHITE NOW POPULAR

GOLF RED VEST

COAT AND
WHITE PLEATED SKIRT.JULIA FAYE IN WHITE
CREPE AND BROWN.

One of the most striking costumes so popular for beach and summer resorts this summer is the vest-coat, or blouse, of some brilliant hue, topped a pure white skirt.

This type of sport costume is shown in the sketch above. In this particular case the vest-coat is of the brightest of golf reds, trimmed down the front with diamond shaped buttons. The skirt is white, but is edged with a narrow border of matching material. The skirt is simply pleated and is of thin silk. But the costume would be equally effective with a skirt of plain white flannel.

The most popular colors for this type of thing are maize, golf green and golf red, to say nothing of the black and white combinations.

A more dressy beach or yachting costume is shown in the photo above of Julia Faye, the young Paramount player appearing in Cecil B. DeMille's newest picture, "Feet of Clay." This dress is of white silk, and has a light brown chiffon scarf. The dress is charming in its simple straight lines, set off by bands of light brown chiffon. An effective hat matches the outfit, and is of light brown straw and brown tulle. The shoes are of brown and white kid.

Amber beads and a batik handkerchief tucked in the wrist watch are pleasing and fitting accessories.

This is but one of scores of chic gowns worn by Julia Faye and Vera Reynolds in "Feet of Clay."

Bedouins of Jewish
Origin Ask Return
To Ancient Faith

JERUSALEM—Part of a Bedouin tribe in Palestine numbering about 1,000 persons, claiming to be descendants of Jews who remained in Palestine following the destruction of the temple, have applied to the government for help in their efforts to return to Judaism.

The tribe known as "Arab el Simlani," is scattered over Upper Galilee. Some of the tribesmen are at present encamped at Tabha, on the northern shore of Lake Tiberias, when they addressed their request to the Rabbis of Safed. The claim as descendants of Jews is based by the elders of the tribe on documents said to be in their possession, showing their ancestors to have been part of the Jewish race. One of the documents of the Simlani is a scroll written in Arabic, resembling somewhat in form and content the "Torah" or scroll of the Mosaic Pentateuch. Some of the Simlani customs are also said to resemble those of the ancient Jews.

After waiting in vain for action on the part of the Rabbis of Safed who apparently were none too anxious to precipitate a proselytizing activity of such importance 25 chiefs of the tribe submitted a written application to the government.

A British official sent to investigate

the request and examine the claims, reported as to the authenticity of the documents, the earnestness of the Bedouins' desire to embrace, or to re-embrace Judaism, was unquestionable.

The authorities are understood to be proceeding very cautiously, fearing the effect upon the Moslem and Christian population of a wholesale conversion of the tribe.

Although Zionists officials have been approached, they have taken no stand in the matter.

The question of the direct descent from the Jews of certain Bedouin tribes of Upper Galilee and the Sinai Peninsula has engaged at various times the attention of Orientalists. There is a belief that the Jews remaining in Palestine after the destruction of the Jewish nation managed to remain true, perhaps clandestinely, to their faith, until forced by Omar to exchange their religion for the Islam. Since then they are believed to have lived outwardly as Mohammedans, while handing down to their children the story of their Jewish ancestry. In this respect the Simlani would be not unlike the "Moranos" of Spain and Portugal, who secretly retained their Jewish traditions and practices, although compelled by the Inquisition to live as Christians.

A GOOD LAXATIVE

Black-Draught Recommended by an Illinois Lady, Who Says It Helps Her.—"Fine for the Liver."

St. Elmo, Ill.—"I have used Black-Draught for three years," says Mrs. J. W. Boyd, a well-known member of this community. "I was visiting a friend who had used it for some time. I was in need of a laxative and I had a burning in my stomach. I was constipated. She gave me a dose of Black-Draught and it helped me, so I used it from then on. It certainly benefited me. I think it's fine for the liver, too. I am glad to recommend it."

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Austinville News

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Roper of Mt. Vernon, Ill., are visiting relatives here.

The ten months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Looney is doing nicely at its home here after an operation yesterday for the removal of an open safety pin swallowed by the baby Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sparkman and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smyth and children of Hartselle were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sparkman on Sunday.

Many of the members of Austinville Council, Jr. O. U. A. M. and their families spent Labor Day at Malone Park. The addresses by members of the state council and other features of the day were enjoyed very much.

Rev. W. M. Wade has returned home after assisting the pastor of the M. E. church S. at Moulton in a revival during the past week.

The supper given by Stewards of the M. E. church Saturday evening was quite a success. The proceeds will be used for the benefit of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Arnold and children of Sheffield spent Monday here with friends.

Mrs. Hubert Holland and children of Canton, Ohio are the guests of Mrs. W. R. Crow, Sr.

Miss Bernice Stovall of Ensley has returned to her home after spending some time here with relatives.

Floyd Howell has returned to Little Rock, Ark., after spending several days here with friends and relatives.

Mrs. L. L. Pepper is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Weatherly in Greenville, Ala.

Miss Dorothy Roper of Birmingham is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Will Royer.

Saul Wallace of Muscle Shoals is visiting his sister, Mrs. P. W. Sparkman.

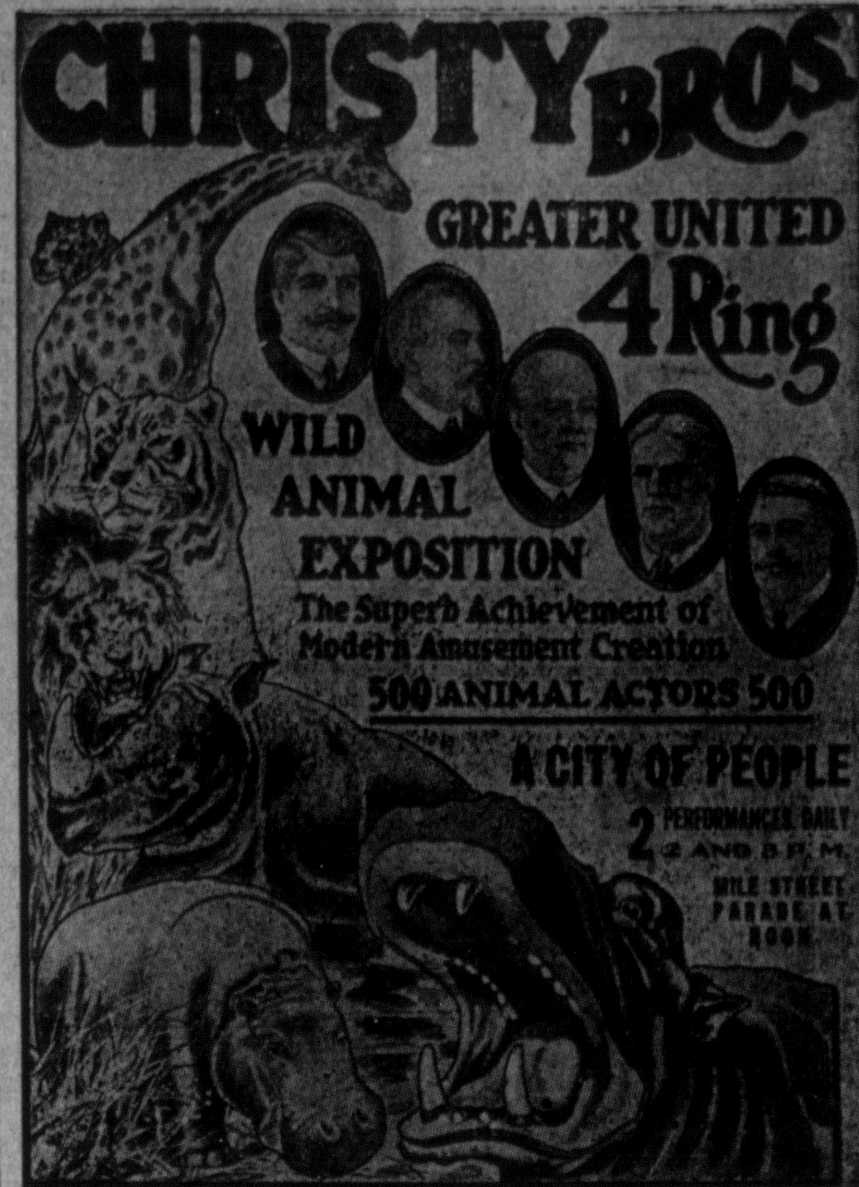
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Grand Musical Festival. Note: On show day a special ticket wagon will be located downtown. Get Seats Early.

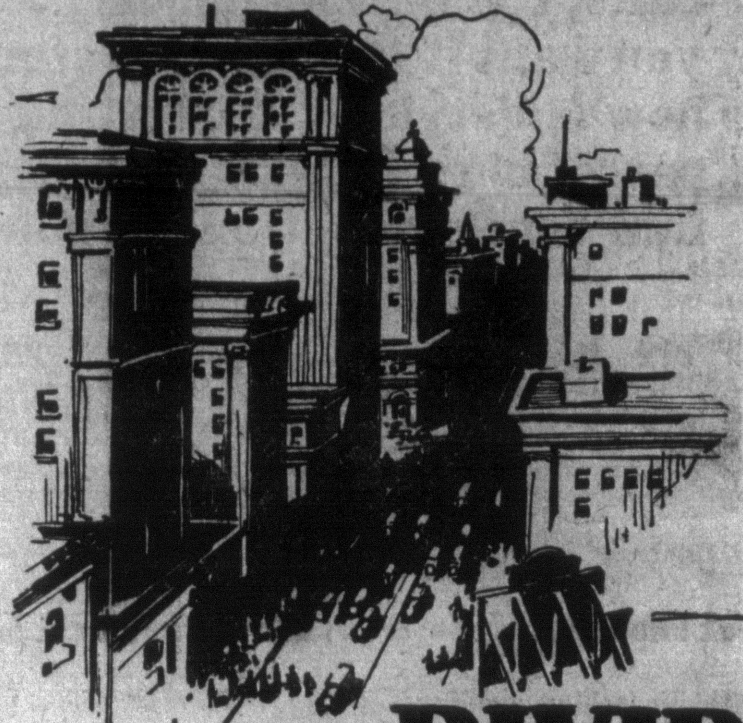
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STATEMENT OF

TENNESSEE VALLEY BANK

On call from State Banking Department, June 30, 1924.

Resources	Liabilities
Loans and discounts \$3,844,785.32	Capital stock \$ 200,000.00
Overdrafts 1,568.96	Surplus fund 200,000.00
Stocks and bonds 181,385.50	Undivided profits
Banking houses (16) 102,500.00	and reserve 94,172.69
Furniture and fixtures (16) 42,500.00	Unpaid dividends 16,064.70
Other real estate 12,800.00	Bonds borrowed 75,000.00
Building account 10,102.40	Deposits 4,548,043.50
Bonds borrowed 75,000.00	
Cash and due from banks 862,777.27	
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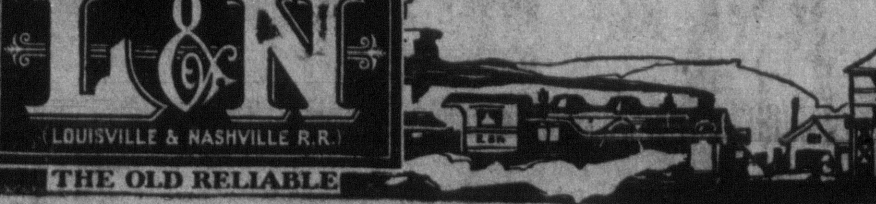
Are Necessary to the Progress and Development of any Business

Invested money must earn money, or there will be no new capital forthcoming with which to take care of increased volume. This theory is elemental and the statement is trite; yet it is interesting to know that nearly one half of America's second largest industry pays no dividends on its capital stock. Three billion dollars worth of stocks in railroads (of the approximately seven billion dollars outstanding) is not earning or paying a dividend.

What is the reason for such a condition existing? How long can this continue? How long will investors be willing to put their money into such non-profitable securities?

The first question is easy to answer: "Increased operating expenses with out proportionate increased revenues." The second and third questions cannot be answered until the American people, through their lawmakers, evidence a keener appreciation of the railroads' problems, and in some quarters a fairer and less radical attitude toward the carriers.

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